

SAINT HIPPOLYTE CHURCH

26012 N. Frenchtown Rd., Guys Mills PA 16327
(GPS only; mail to the parish office)

Liturgies:
Sunday 11:00am

Confessions:
By appointment

Fourth Sunday of Easter *April 25, 2021*

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

251 S. Franklin St., Cochranton, PA 16314
(GPS only; mail to the parish office)

Liturgies:
Sunday 8:00am

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IT IS THE MISSION OF SAINT HIPPOLYTE AND OUR LADY OF LOURDES TO FULLY, CONSCIOUSLY, AND ACTIVELY GROW AS A FAMILY CENTERED IN CHRIST MINISTERING TO THE ENTIRE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY.

Pastor

Father Daniel Prez

Faith Formation Coordinator

Joyce Tarr 814-671-1009

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Weekly Liturgy Schedule

MONDAY, APRIL 26, EASTER WEEKDAY
8:30am SH Communion Service

TUESDAY, APRIL 27, EASTER WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28, SAINT PETER CHANEL;
SAINT LOUIS GRIGNON de MONTFORT

THURSDAY, APRIL 29, SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA

FRIDAY, APRIL 30, SAINT PIUS V
8:30am OLL Communion Service

SATURDAY, MAY 1, SAINT JOSEPH THE WORKER

SUNDAY, MAY 2, FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
8:00am OLL Sam Froella (Joanne and Family)
11:00am SH Tom Grundy, Sr. (Mary and Family)

Read the parish bulletin online at www.sainthippolytechurch.com

HELPING HANDS

Coordinators:

Fran Greathouse.....425-2549

Carole Jones.....789-2881

Prayer Requests:

Bob & Denise Schoenfeldt.....333-8464

Julia Hovis657-3265

Visitation:

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Nancy Musser (cards)425-7725

Connie Molli (visits/telephone)967-3813

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Sharon Boughner (telephone)425-8284

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Mary Beth Coyle (Meals)425-2502

Chris & Shannon Ploski (Odd Jobs)967-4065

Dave Wolff (Odd Jobs).....573-6260

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Elizabeth Ministry:

Joanne Froella.....425-3645

Carol Barickman.....789-3814

Ministry of Welcome:

Garold Molli967-3813

Rosanne Chamberlain374-4026

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: Membership includes active participation in the sacramental life of the Church, involvement in the activities of the faith community and financial support of the parish. New members are welcome to register by calling the parish office.

BAPTISM: Parents must attend the Pre-Baptism Program. Call the parish office for a copy of the program schedule and to schedule your child's baptism.

MARRIAGE: One party must be a registered parishioner and actively involved for one year before scheduling a wedding. Please call the parish office at least six months prior to the proposed date of marriage. No date can be set before the first interview with the priest has been completed.

ANointing OF THE SICK: Please phone the parish office immediately if a loved one is sick or hospitalized.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TODAY:

Acts 4:8-12/1 Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

MONDAY:

Acts 11:1-18/Jn 10:1-10

TUESDAY:

Acts 11:19-26/Jn 10:22-30

WEDNESDAY:

Acts 12:24—13:5a/Jn 12:44-50

THURSDAY:

Acts 13:13-25/Jn 13:16-20

FRIDAY:

Acts 13:26-33/Jn 14:1-6

SATURDAY:

Gn 1:26—2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24/Mt 13:54-58

SUNDAY:

Acts 9:26-31/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

April 26: J. Derek Bean, Rich Neville,
Sophia Terrill
April 27: Judi Baranyai, David Easley
April 28: Erma Genis, Gerald Hutchison,
Fran McClain, Daniel Stewart
April 29: Sandra Chatley, Kiley Dent,
Cindy Finkbeiner
May 1: Vivian Maloney, Jack Rynd,
Kyle Acel, Allison Polley,
Lilli Terrill, Father Andrew Boyd

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

April 27: Kevin & Regina Merritt
April 28: Paul & Ruth Mercier, Paul & Zita Sanner,
Tony & Kathy Gardone,
Joe & Cindy Mirage
May 1: Carl & Kay Hotchkiss
May 2: Bret & Jenna Barickman

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel

Adults – What qualities of God does the image of the Good Shepherd suggest? How do you experience God in this way?

Youth – How do you feel about Jesus' being your shepherd? What does it mean to you that He lays down His life for you?

Children – Jesus tells us that He is the Good Shepherd, but how do you experience God guiding and protecting you?

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SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Our gifts given in thanksgiving for what we have already received.

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Offertory last week:	\$1,325	\$1,400
envelopes used:	41	32
Building Fund last week:	\$ 417	\$ 300
envelopes used:	20	18

Catholic Services Appeal 2021:

Dio Assessment: \$27,069

of Gifts/Pledges: 82

Pledged: \$32,305 Received: \$22,180

Thanks for your generosity and dedication.

HELPING HANDS PRAYER: What love You have bestowed on us, O God, that we should be called Your children, born again in Christ by water and the Spirit. What love You have lavished that we should be gathered into the fold of a Shepherd Whose life is given freely for us. Keep us safe, make us one, and gather all Your scattered children into the one fold of this one Shepherd. We ask this through the Lord Jesus, our Passover and our Peace, Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. Amen.

PARISH RAFFLE TICKET RETURNS

can be made through the collection basket or mailed to the parish office. If you need more tickets, please contact the parish office. Our next monthly drawing will be held on Sunday, May 2.

INTERESTED IN ATTENDING A CURSILLO WEEKEND or NEED MORE INFO? Pick up a brochure in the church vestibule or call Carl and Kay Hotchkiss at 425-3933.

LOOKING FOR RESOURCES FOR YOUR FAMILY?



Discover why families always matter at: <http://www.eriecd.org/fam.htm>



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Saint Hippolyte/Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church

THE PETTIS BELL MEMORIAL COMMITTEE will meet at Saints Peter and Paul Cemetery on Monday, April 26 at 6:00pm.

THE ROSARY is prayed one half hour before the Sunday Masses and after the Monday and Friday morning Communion Services. The Rosary is also prayed on the first Tuesday of each month at 6:30pm at Our Lady of Lourdes. All are welcome to join us!

GOOD SHEPHERD COLLECTION—This weekend all parishes and missions in the Diocese of Erie are taking a special collection to support the needs of our retired Diocesan priests. This special collection will assist those dedicated priests who are elderly, seriously ill or incapacitated and in need of supplementary assistance for expenses such as non-insured medical costs, nursing home and long-term care assistance. As the number of retired priests increases in the upcoming years the Priest Retirement Plan will need to be adequately funded to meet their future needs. Your generosity will make a difference in the lives of priests who have served faithfully and serve now as a “thank you” for their many years of faithful service. Help provide them the same love and generosity they provided for us for generations.

CHILD PROTECTION AND CREATING SAFE ENVIRONMENTS—**Child Abuse Prevention Month: Mandated Reporters** in the Diocese of Erie are people who hold positions of trust in our schools, parishes, agencies and institutions and are mandated by Pennsylvania law and the diocesan Policy for the Protection of Children to report suspected abuse of a minor. All employees and volunteers working/serving for the Diocese of Erie, in our parishes, schools or agencies are considered mandated reporters both legally and morally obligated to report any reasonable suspected child abuse to ChildLine, the local police, or other appropriate agency.

Visit <https://www.eriecd.org/childprotection/> to learn the specific reporting procedures required by the diocese.

INDOOR GARAGE AND BAKE SALE

Saint Hippolyte Church Social Hall

Thursday, April 29 and Friday, April 30

8:00am—5:00pm

Saturday, May 1 is Bag Day

8:00am—Noon

The kitchen will be open.

Stop in for lunch!

WHOLE COMMUNITY CATECHESIS

PARISH UNITY



Our parish and diocese are going through some changes due to the pandemic and the health of our pastor, Fr. Dan. During this time we have had to make adjustments to our Mass schedule in order to ensure the coverage of our Masses from our neighboring priests from Meadville. We are very grateful to Fr. Jeff Lucas and Fr. Andy Boyd for coming to fill in for Fr. Dan.

We, as a vibrant community of believers, need to now, more than ever, work together as one Parish. We need to help each other spiritually, physically and financially to maintain our churches.

The Ham or Chicken Dinner Committee met recently and decided that for this year — our 125th dinner on July 25th — we will proceed with the dinner as we did last year with dinners sold through pre-order and drive through pick-up only. Last year there were many good comments on the successful organization by the people involved with planning this huge event. One suggestion was that more workers are needed for different times this year! **If you are willing to help, please call Debbie Furry (814-720-4782) as soon as possible—before she calls you!** The profit from this event benefits both churches in our one parish and so we ask for and need helpers from both churches. If you are not comfortable working in a large crowd perhaps you would consider helping in advance of the dinner day. We need pie bakers in the afternoon of Friday, July 23rd. We also need help on Saturday, July 24th for prep work, such as peeling potatoes, setting up the hall, etc. If you are able to volunteer at any time on July 23, 24 or 25 (or the 26th for clean-up), your help would be of great assistance and greatly appreciated by your fellow parishioners. This is our 125th dinner being served! With the good responses we’ve had in the past from our visitors and dinner guests, it is obvious that they enjoy the excellent food we offer.

Due to the pandemic and the CDC guidelines still in effect, the Old Fashioned Strawberry Social will not be held this year at Our Lady of Lourdes. The Cochran Community Fair is scheduled for this year so the Our Lady of Lourdes food booth will need volunteers as well.

Let us be unified in following the CDC and Bishop Persico’s guidelines in our acts of kindness towards protecting each other by wearing our masks while we are in our church buildings.

In Romans 12:5, Paul tells us that we are “One Body of Christ” and that is our Church in a nutshell. It is a two way street; as much as we need the Church, the Church needs us.

INDOOR GARAGE and BAKE SALE

Saint Hippolyte Social Hall

Route 27 in Frenchtown

7 miles east of Meadville; 20 miles west of Titusville

Masks are required inside the building
for everyone's protection.

Thursday, April 29 and Friday, April 30

8:00am until 5:00pm

Saturday, May 1

"Bag Day"

8:00am until Noon

Good, Clean, Gently Used Items
Furniture, Small Appliances, Books
Household Items, Clothing, Toys, etc.

New selection of items!
The tables are full and the hall is packed!

Baked Goods and Refreshments
Stop in for lunch!

All Proceeds Benefit Saint Hippolyte Church

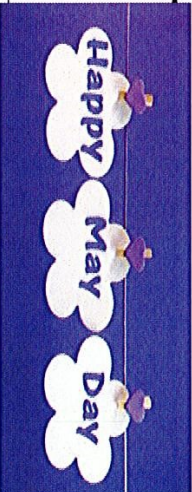







May 2021 Parish Calendar



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Weekend Mass Schedule Our Lady of Lourdes: Sunday at 8:00am Saint Hippolyte: Sunday at 11:00am						1
2 <i>5th Sunday of Easter</i> 8:00am—OLL First Holy Communion	3 8:30am—SH Communion Service 9:15am—SH Small Group 7:00pm—SH Finance Council Budget meeting	4 6:30pm—OLL Rosary	5 7:00pm—SH Le Nom du Pere Society meeting	6	7 8:30am—OLL Communion Service	8
9 <i>6th Sunday of Easter</i> 	10 8:30am—SH Communion Service 9:15am—SH Small Group 7:00pm—SH H/C Dinner Planning meeting	11	12 6:00pm—SH Confirmation 	13 <i>The Ascension of the Lord</i> 12:00pm—SH Holy Day Mass 6:00pm—OLL Holy Day Mass Parish Office Closed	14 8:30am—OLL Communion Service	15
16 <i>7th Sunday of Easter</i> Second Collection: International Needs	17 8:30am—SH Communion Service 9:15am—SH Small Group	18	19	20 6:30pm—SH Pre-Baptism Class for Parents	21 8:30am—OLL Communion Service	22
23  Pentecost SUNDAY	24 8:30am—SH Communion Service 9:15am—SH Small Group	25	26	27	28 8:30am—OLL Communion Service	29
30 <i>The Most Holy Trinity</i> 	31 <i>Memorial Day</i>  Parish Office Closed	The Rosary is prayed one half hour before our Sunday Masses and immediately following the Monday and Friday Communion Services.				

May 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Rev. James G. Gutting
2 Rev. Msgr. John J. Herbein	3 Rev. Daniel J. Prez	4 Rev. William M. Kuba	5 Rev. James C. Campbell	6 Rev. Jeffrey J. Lucas	7 Rev. Jeffrey J. Noble	8 Rev. Jason Mitchell
9 Rev. James J. Kennelley	10 Rev. James P. McCormick	11 Rev. Msgr. Joseph K. Bobal	12 Rev. Gregory P. Passauer	13 Rev. Glenn Whitman	14 Rev. Richard Tomasone	15 Rev. Lawrence Richards
16 Rev. John G. Chaplin	17 Rev. John M. Fischer	18 Rev. John L. Miller	19 Pray for Vocations	20 Rev. Msgr. Andrew H. Karg	21 Rev. David Whiteford	22 Rev. Msgr. Robert J. Smith
23 Rev. T. Shane Mathew	24 Rev. Scott W. Jabbo	25 Rev. Thomas M. Aleksa	26 Rev. Kyle Seyler	27 Rev. Andrew Boyd	28 Rev. Richard J. Toohey	29 Very Rev. Michael T. Kesicki
30 Rev. Jason R. Feigh	31 The Most Rev. Lawrence Persico					Pray for Consecrated Life

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☐ Our Lady of Lourdes

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